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Magistrate Judge (recalled)

Education: Case Western 1958
Began Service: September 14, 1979**Staff**Career Law Clerk **Fran M. Gote** (216) 357-7143
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Magistrate Judge (recalled)

Date of Birth: 1927
Education: Bethany (WV) 1949 AB; Cleveland-Marshall 1953 LLB
Began Service: July 1, 1991**Current Memberships:** Federal Bar Association; Ohio State Bar Association**Staff**Career Law Clerk **Kelly King** (216) 357-7180
Began Service: August 2008
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Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1947
Education: Case Western 1975 JD
Began Service: 1994
Term Expires: 2022**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Frank J. Battisti (1975-1976)**Legal Practice:** Partner, Jones, Day, Reavis & Pogue (1984-1994)**Staff**Law Clerk **Elizabeth Stewart-Piroune** (330) 252-6130
Began Service: September 2008
Term Expires: September 2009
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Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1941
Education: Ohio Northern 1963 BS, 1966 JD
Began Service: 1975
Term Expires: 2014**Academic:** Instructor in Real Estate Law, Terra Technical College
(1972-1996)**Government:** Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General,
State of Ohio (1967-1969)**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1969-1970); Private Practice (1970-1975)**Current Memberships:** Lucas County Bar Association; Ohio State Bar
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Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Tuskegee 1967 BS; Akron 1974 JD
Began Service: December 16, 1985
Term Expires: December 15, 2013**Academic:** Instructor, Kent State University (1974-1978); Adjunct
Professor, School of Law, The University of Akron (1989-1998)**Government:** Courts Planner, Summit County Criminal Justice Commission
(1973-1976); Assistant Attorney, Civil Division, Office of the Associate
Attorney General, United States Department of Justice (1978-1985)**Judicial:** Chief Bankruptcy Judge, Chambers of Chief Bankruptcy Judge
Randolph Baxter, United States District Court for the Northern District of
Ohio**Military Service:** United States Army (1968-1971)**Current Memberships:** Akron Barristers Club; American Bankruptcy
Institute; Commercial Law League of America; Federal Bar Association;
National Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges**Staff**Law Clerk **Erica Green** (216) 615-4448
Began Service: June 2008
Career Law Clerk **Donna Parks** (216) 615-4449
Began Service: 2006
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Education: Arizona 1994 BA, 2001 JD
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Began Service: August 4, 2008**Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Pat E. Morgenstern-Clarren**Howard M. Metzenbaum U.S. Courthouse, 201 Superior Avenue,
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Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1952
Education: Michigan 1974 AB; Case Western 1977 JD;
London School Econ (UK) 1979 LLM
Began Service: December 1, 1995
Term Expires: December 1, 2009**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Jack Grant Day, Court of Appeals of
Ohio, Eighth District (1977-1978)**Judicial:** Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for
the Sixth Circuit (1999-2002)**Legal Practice:** Attorney, Hahn Loeser & Parks LLP (1979-1987); Partner,
Hahn Loeser & Parks LLP (1987-1995)**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The William K.
Thomas American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; The American
Law Institute; Cleveland Bar Association; National Association of Women
Judges; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; Ohio State Bar
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Tel: (419) 213-5621**Mary Ann Whipple**

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1956
Education: Michigan 1977 AB; Stanford 1981 JD
Began Service: May 1, 2001
Term Expires: May 30, 2015**Legal Practice:** Attorney, Fuller & Henry Ltd (1981-2001)**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute; American Bar
Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; Ohio State Bar
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Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1957
Education: Northwestern 1980 BS; Ohio State 1984 JD
Began Service: February 28, 2001**Academic:** Instructor, Walsh College (1994-1995)**Government:** Special Counsel, Office of the Attorney General, State of
Ohio (1991-1995)**Legal Practice:** Krugliak, Wilkins, Griffiths & Dougherty Co., LPA
(1984-1995); Lovells (1995-1996); Ross, Kendig & Arnold, Ltd.
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Term Expires: September 2009
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Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: September 15, 1957
Education: Cornell 1979 AB; Michigan 1982 JD
Began Service: October 7, 2002
Term Expires: October 2016**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, District Judge John M. Manos, United States
District Court for the Northern District of Ohio (1982-1984)**Government:** Assistant U.S. Attorney, Northern Division, Civil Division,
United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice,
Ronald Reagan Administration (1984-2002)

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